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In re the Application of: **Takashi KANO**

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For. **SEMICONDUCTOR LASER DEVICE**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

May 21, 2003

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 10, 2003 for one month from May 10, 2003, to June 10, 2003.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

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